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### GOLF CLUB

Local Club Events of the Past Week

Three club competitions closed at twelve o'clock, noon, on Monday, June 2, and the results are as follows:

The Ladies' Sweepstakes resulted in a draw between Mrs. Hall and Mrs. Wright, each with a net score of 96. The result of the play off will be published next week.

The Gentlemen's Sweepstakes was won by J. Wolfe with a net score of 65. Dr. Barker and H. L. Greene tied for second place with a net score of 67. Mr. Wright got third with net score of 69.

The Dunlop Gold Button (weekly competition) resulted in a draw between Dr. Barker and Mr. Greene with a net score of 67 each. They agreed to play 9 holes in the playoff, but at the end of the nine holes the score was even so 18 holes had to be played. This also resulted in a draw. Finally it was decided to play one extra hole which was won by Dr. Barker, who has the honor of wearing the button for the current week.

Players are requested to refrain from bringing their dogs to the course with them.

The secretary wishes to announce that he now has official score card for sale, and the prices are \$1.20 per 100, 60c per 50, 30c per 25, 5c per cards.

### BASEBALL

Vulcan Wins Two Games at Stavely Tournament

Tuesday was the birthday of the King. Stavely was the place of celebration, and Vulcan team was the winner of the baseball tournament, an accomplishment which means much when the trick is turned in Stavely and when they have to go against all the teams in the Alberta Southern League. The performance of our boys on that day put them in a place of prominence in the sport pages of the provincial papers. The sport writer of one of the city dailies attended the games and made the tourney the opportunity of giving the league the once over, and what he says of it is surely a fine compliment to Vulcan. The team started out right this year and have since made good, and the many fans who went with them to Stavely were certainly delighted with their great showing.

The first game was a league fixture with Claresholm, opening with Siler in the box for Vulcan, and after the third he traded places with Thrall. At second, during the three innings Claresholm got two hits, but no runs, while Vulcan got a total of three runs, and in the fourth and fifth scored one each, making the total for the game five. Frederickson went the whole route in the box for Claresholm, and though he went well enough with his team mates to produce a good ball game, they could not succeed in scoring and were blanked. The score by innings:

Claresholm	000 000 000—0
Vulcan	003 110 000—5

The team—Siler, pitcher and second; Seivers, catcher; Dick, first; Thrall, second and pitcher; Flynn third; Recor, short; MacLeod, right; Grant, left; Vaughn, centre.

The same team went in against Stavely in the final, Siler pitching for Vulcan, and Malchow for Stavely, both staying the seven innings, cut the two innings on account of sudden wind and storm. But out of these seven frames came what the city sporting editor correctly described as wonderful baseball. It had remarkable features. The first man up for Stavely hit the second ball delivered for a homer, the first this season on the Stavely grounds. They worked in another in the last, and this was the total of their count. In the fourth Flynn for Vulcan hit for a homer. With one man on and two out, Siler came to bat, and they had two on him when he hit for a round trip, making the score a total of three. In the seven innings Siler struck out twelve men, rightly designated as some feat by the big scribe. It was a grand game to witness and a glorious feeling came out of winning it. The score by innings:

Stavely	100 001 0—2
Vulcan	000 120 0—3

The game at Stavely between Nanton and Stavely, the first on the card, was a great battle, and went an extra inning to break a tie. Stavely getting the even in the ninth after two men were out, and winning in the tenth. Nanton has a real pitcher and a good team, and some good baseball may be expected when they appear on Vulcan grounds.

Two thousand oat bundles for sale by B. R. Lommatsch. For price and other particulars Phone 1009, Vulcan.

Mr. F. Vansilver has returned from a trip to Toronto and other points in Ontario. He reports that crops and other conditions down there are not in it with those of Alberta and the Vulcan district.

The town council, on Monday night was addressed by Mr. W. H. Jurney on the subject of wells and water. Mr. Jurney is a pioneer driller in this section and the supply of water is a subject of interest and importance hereabouts.

### LOCAL ITEMS

Miss Vesta, of Rolle, B.C., is visiting with her sister, Mrs. J. Hampton, north of town.

Rev. Dr. Ferguson, of Calgary, will conduct the services at the Union church, morning and evening on Sunday.

Sale of home cooking and afternoon tea, at Vulcan rest room, on June 14. Proceeds in aid of rest room. Patronage from everybody is invited.

Miss Margaret Smith, who has for some time been a resident in California is at present a guest at the home of her brother, Mr. W. S. Hill, R.R.2.

The alterations being made to the Imperial Hotel block will give a very considerable addition to Mr. Errett King's drug and stationery store, an improvement that will be appreciated by the proprietor and patrons.

Mr. Edward Armeij of Reid Hill was brought before J. A. Lindsay, J.P., at the police barracks on Friday last, charged with operating two cars with one license, and for this was fined \$20 and costs. Constable E. B. Davies, A.P.P. prosecuted.

Rev. Mr. Woods, of the children's home at Olds, conducted the services at the Union church on Sunday last, and the contributions to this worthy institution for children were generous, amounting to between seventy-five and one hundred dollars.

The contract for the painting of the skating rink and curling rink has been awarded by the town council to Messrs. Innes and Clark. Paint will add much to the appearance of these splendid buildings, which are a pride and a source of pleasure to our citizens.

Lady members of Vulcan Tennis club and intending members please take notice that an American Ladies Single tournament will be held at this club commencing on Saturday, June 7. Intending competitors will please notify Miss Pickard, Mr. Gallagher or Mr. Gibson.

Mr. Fred Hopkins, a farm hand, considered that to end a perfect day of celebration on May 24th at Vulcan was to create a disturbance at the dance held in the Odd Fellows' hall in the evening, and for this he was brought before J. A. Lindsay, J.P., at the police barracks on Thursday and fined \$10.00 and costs. Constable Davies, A.P.P. prosecuted.

Mr. Thos. Johns, merchant at Brant, and booster for his community, was in Vulcan this week and was telling everybody of the big day in Brant on June 11th. Vulcan will have a special interest in the event, the local team of the Arrowwood league being an entry in the baseball tourney. Vulcan, you bet, will be largely represented at the Brant sports day, which always provides an abundance of excitement and amusement.

Three of our merchants are conducting mercantile sales. The Advocate printed full sheet posters for all of these, and so proud of these were the printers that a sample of each was sent to Mr. E. Roy Sales, manager and secretary of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, an authority on printing and advertising, and the following letter from Mr. Sales is a satisfaction to us and will be interesting to buyers of printing: "You and your staff are to be congratulated on the excellent bills you turn out. The samples sent us were beautiful. I am sure your patrons should appreciate the service you give."

Mr. Wittock, manager of the Vulcan Light and Power Company, has received the bill of lading covering the shipment of the engine and machinery which is to constitute the new equipment at the power house. This purchase represents an investment of several thousand dollars, and though it will be difficult to improve the light service, so good has it always been, the new machinery will increase capacity and reduce the cost of production. There has been an almost continual improvement in the pole line, and that portion of the plant that will continue in use is now in splendid shape. The enterprise of this firm is certainly commendable, and the service it renders is appreciated.

Mr. Jack Thompson will be remembered as the man on the staff at Spooner's and he has not forgotten Vulcan. Last week he sent in perfectly good American money for another year for The Advocate, from away down in Cambridge, just out of Boston, where he has been steadily employed since leaving here, and with the subscription a letter and a sample of a bill with store prices, forty thousand of which are printed and distributed weekly by the firm with which he is employed. In his letter he says that down there is a corking good place to live, with good shows and National and American league ball games, plenty of rain and fine weather, and wind-up with hoping that Vulcan will have a winning ball team this year and the hint that he might drop into town sometime about the end of August.

### LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Laws spent the week end in Calgary.

Mrs. Laird Isham is up from Moscow, Idaho, and will spend some weeks in Vulcan with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McAlpine.

Bishop Pinkham will conduct the morning service at the Anglican church on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Daniels will officiate in the evening.

Constable Davies, A.P.P., left on Sunday night's train for Lethbridge for attendance at supreme court, which is being held this week.

Miss Hazel Layman has recently accepted an engagement as teacher at Hawatha school. Miss Layman is a graduate of the Vulcan school, and many friends will wish her the best of success as a teacher. This school has been closed for some time.

Buck & Howson's sales are always real sales, and the one now on has been even greater than the rest. Business generally has been better than usual at this house this spring, and the special sale is keeping pace. It is an exceptional buying opportunity and one that interests the shrewd buyers and it still continues.

Mr. S. F. Way, formerly of the Vulcan branch of the Bank of Commerce, and at the present relieving at the Warner office, spent the holiday in Vulcan, coming up to have a few rounds over the local golf course, on which he learned to play the game under the direction of Mr. Gibson. Many friends were pleased to greet him.

Mr. Fred Bilton has an announcement of importance to farmers. It is that he has secured a connection with American buyers at three points in Washington whereby he is enabled to pay for hogs at Vulcan within 65 to 70 cents of the price paid at Calgary on day of shipping, and will be prepared to ship south any time that sufficient hogs are available to make a load. Phone for information to Mr. Bilton at the Imperial hotel.

The bazaar and tea on Saturday last, under the auspices of the ladies of the Catholic church, was financially and socially and in every other way a splendid success. In the drawing for a quilt Mrs. E. E. MacIntosh was the winner. This event gives opportunity for special mention of the community spirit which prevails in Vulcan, and which makes this one of the best little towns in the west. This was a Catholic event, in an Anglican church and patronized by everybody, and you can not beat that very much.

The pool room at the Imperial Hotel will be no more after this week, its passing being necessary to the preparation of what is designated as a beer parlor under the new liquor law. With this issue of The Advocate Mr. Mutz will complete the requirements of the law as to advertising, and the work of converting this portion of the hotel has been undertaken, and when completed it is expected that the Imperial parlor will be second to none in any country town in Alberta. Other improvements in connection with the hotel include a complete renovation of its sewer system.

Vulcan is nothing if not sporty. On the king's birthday the baseball boys played two games at Stavely, and the basketball girls went along and also played two games, winning the first against Nanton by a score of 17 to 6, but in the second game, against Parkland, they were defeated by a score of 10 to 1, the game going only half time owing to the difficulty of play on account of the high wind. Vulcan showed surprising and pleasing improvement over past performances, and with a little persistence in the practice of tactics they will yet defeat those who have defeated them, for they have the spirit and the speed that will win. The team was composed of Miss Addie Flood, Mrs. Marcellus, Miss Pickard, Mrs. Beardsley, Miss Ida Emam and Miss Parke, with Miss Bessie Rannels as spare, and they were under the direction and management of Mrs. Vaughn.

There was a meeting on Monday, in Vulcan, of the members of the District Association U.F.A., the purpose of which was to discuss the proposal to establish a flour mill at Vulcan. With facts and figures, and the representative of a mill machinery firm present to supply information, the subject received full consideration. The Advocate has not authority to state definitely in this matter, but the intimation is that the mill idea is almost sure to go. On June 28, there will be another meeting, at which the mill proposition will be presented in complete detail, which will include the plan of organization, the denomination of shares and such like. At this same meeting it is also proposed to organize a wheat pool local. The importance of this meeting is at once apparent, and every member of the U.F.A. in the wide area of the district is entitled to attend and is urged to be present. Two such important subjects should certainly receive general and careful consideration.

### LOCAL ITEMS

The foundation and basement are now in for the new residence being erected for Mr. O. A. Craig, and the new front on the Rochon building is about completed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Perry, of Tacoma, Wash., on their way to Toronto, are stopping off at Vulcan for a week or two and will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Kennedy, west of town.

Mrs. W. F. Rannels arrived here this week from Sparks, Nevada, and with Mr. Rannels will establish their home in Vulcan, where the latter has very rapidly acquired a splendid service station business.

The Vulcan band was practising on Monday night. This is a good sign, and one appreciated by every citizen, indicating good music for Dominion Day and perhaps a few open air concerts during the summer.

Mr. E. E. MacIntosh, general merchant is now in the middle of the first big sale that he has ever conducted. Judicious and generous advertising and prices on everything that are readily recognized as reductions has resulted in an immense amount of business. The sale continues yet another few days, and the bargains are as big as ever.

Miss May Davis, teacher, reported in our last issue as having been injured by a fall from a horse at Stavely on May 24th, has now so much improved as to give almost certain promise of complete recovery. Miss Davis was totally unconscious for many days, but has for some time been able to see and to understand, a condition which gives satisfaction to relatives and friends in Vulcan at Reid Hill and elsewhere.

Mr. Thos. O. Guy and family have gone to Victoria to reside, this information coming by picture card which orders The Advocate sent to the new address, and Mr. Guy writes: "Like it fine here, lovely weather." Mr. Guy was well known and esteemed in the district, and was prominent in lodge circles in Vulcan, and at the time of his removal had just completed his term as chief officer of the Odd Fellows. He and the family have the best wishes of many friends who wish them well wherever they may go.

Tuesday was the King's birthday, not generally observed as a holiday, though there were many who went from Vulcan on that day to the baseball tournament at Stavely, and they all had a real good time. It was the first opportunity for many to view the results of the big fire in Stavely some time ago. Fire creates much loss to individuals, but in this case it would appear to be a gain to the town, for up from the ashes of burned frame buildings and some of them of little value and dilapidated appearance, are springing up several substantial brick buildings of attractive design and modern construction.

Saturday night is always a big night in Vulcan, and last Saturday night was bigger than the rest. The town looked like a little Chicago. Perhaps the big sales by three of our leading merchants accounted for the larger number of people in town and everybody in business was busy. Vulcan is surely a Saturday night town, and it is fine that it is so. Autos in hundreds, parked as thick as they can tick along our main streets is a sight good to see, and groups here and there all over the place, meeting and greeting each other and people from the country and the town discussing business, pleasures and experiences of the week make us all neighbors and friends. It is good for business and everybody is the better for it. There is always a cheerfulness in meeting one another, and Vulcan and the people who come in here will not lose anything by making this town the center of good cheer.

The picnic and doings at Alston on the 23rd of May have not had mention in The Advocate. The whole affair was an immense success and it could hardly be anything else, for it was under the joint auspices of the Golden Rule and Good Deeds Women's Institutes. The program of sports included a baseball match between the married and single men of the district, and it was a real fun feature, the single fellows winning. Then there was the chicken supper, a fine feast, followed by an auction sale of miscellaneous articles donated by the people of the district, and from these and the dance at night, was realized a sum of over two hundred dollars, the amount to be utilized in the purchase of material for the construction of a fine basement under the community hall, which is 32x48 feet. The work in this connection is every bit volunteer and is well under way under the direction of Mr. Wm. Bowie, and in a week will be completed. This is surely doing things in a commendable way! July 16 has been selected as the date for the picnic annually held at Alston under U.F.A. auspices, and preparations for this big event are already being made.

## BRANT SPORTS DAY

1924

### Wednesday, June 11

### Arrowwood League Baseball Games

Ensign vs. Blackie, 10 a. m.

Vulcan vs. Red Cross, 4 p. m.

### Horse Races and Riding

Bareback Riding, one-hand hold.

Bucking Contest

Free-for-All Running Race

Relay Race and Pony Races

Refreshments served in the Rink by Women's Institute.

### Dance at Night—Five Piece Orchestra

### Opera House Next Week

Monday, June 9th

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Wednesday, June 11th

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### TASKS

There is no denying that tempers vary in regard to tasks. There are persons to whom regular labor seems to come naturally, who get up and go to their work day after day without complaint and even with a certain apparent enjoyment, as if they were made to do that one thing and nothing else. There are other persons who perpetually rebel; who do the work because they must, but who are constantly sighing and thinking and talking of the other things that they should prefer to do. Yet even in the most virtuous and most industrious there is something somewhere that resents a set task. Sir Walter Scott was one of the great workers of the world, not only great in accomplishment but great in power of working. He could stick to a task and get it done in the face of all possible difficulty. Yet even Sir Walter said, "It is not that I am idle in my nature, neither, but propose to me to do one thing, and it is inconceivable, the desire I have to do something else." We hate a task because it is a task, because some one else or circumstances, or even our own choice, is forcing us to do it. Even occupations delightful in themselves may become a burden if we feel that we are obliged to devote ourselves to them at a set time, whether we will or not. There are at least three ways of mitigating the irksomeness of daily duty, and we can all get some good out of all of them. In the first place we should think less of the nature of the immediate task itself than of the larger result of it. If it is worth doing at all, it is almost sure to mean some sort of wider benefit to ourselves or to others, and reflection upon this makes us forget the more sordid details. Secondly, it is astonishing what a difference it makes when you try to do your work in the very best way you can. Do not let it degenerate into mere careless routine, but every day add some more perfect touch that you can be proud of. Thirdly, learn the importance of habit. Do not let things drag; do not slight them or slack them. Be on hand at the right hour, dispatch details in the right order, let your thoughts and your hands move in the way that is most efficient and profitable. To do a task carefully and promptly vastly diminishes the burden of it. After doing it in that way you may even be astonished to find that when it is interrupted you miss an regret it.

### KEEP DUTY ON SCRUB STOCK

The turn from wheat growing to dairying has created an unusual demand for dairy cattle, of which, it is claimed by buyers, there is a scarcity in Canada and the government is being urged to remove the duty on scrub and all dairy stock, putting them in the class with purebreds which are duty free. It is extraordinary that there are still farmers and business men so short-sighted that they would buy scrub stock in order to save a few dollars when all expert evidence and experience show that such vastly better results, more milk, richer milk, better profits, come from the purebred tested strains. It costs no more to feed, care for and milk a high grade cow giving much greater value milk than the scrub. The situation should be closely watched by all good dairy men and business men and their moral influence should be exerted on the government to make no tariff changes that would encourage the admission of any but recognized quality stock.

Private business is any business that seventeen government agents may pry into.

In a recent gale down in New York a baby carriage was blown off the dock and the baby floated to shore. It must have been a buoy!—Indian Head News

### USEFUL ARTICLE

It we had the gift of Shakespeare we would compose a ditty in honour of that thing called baling wire. The other day we had the misfortune to break a single tree, and was on the point of going home, when looking at the fence we found the ancient remedy. The inventor of that useful thing should have a monument created to his honour in every farm yard. With baling wire you can mend anything from a Ford to a pair of old shoes. We have seen one end used as a tooth pick and the other to clean out an old tobacco pipe. You can use it to make a handle for the tea kettle, and it is remedy par excellence for broken harness. The kids find it all right to mend their sleighs and baseball bats, and some ladies use it as hair curlers. When you want it to break it won't break, and when you don't want it to break it will break. Isn't that right?

### PHOTOGRAPHS BY TELEPHONE

The dark horse that the Republican convention at Cleveland, like all other conventions, may suddenly produce either as candidate, orator, or unexpected key delegate can now have his picture telephoned across the country in less time than it would take to describe the man's features by telegraph. If we are to believe accounts now appearing in New York and Cleveland papers, this is the latest astounding development of applied electrical photography. The room is dark save for the red light burning above a desk. Suddenly a telephone bell shrills in the crimson dusk, and the man on watch says in quick staccato, "Hello, New York answering." "This is 'Frisco. Here is a photograph of the Oakland ferryboat with bows smashed in by a battle-ship. Are you ready?" "Yes, clear here. Putting a film on the receiver. Let'er come." The conversation ceases. A buzzing as of a big bee is heard. A spot of light plays on a small cylinder. The operator focuses it with the aid of a microscope. Then he presses a button and New York is ready to receive a telephone picture. The small cylinder covered with a photographic film begins to revolve. The ghostly point of light moves from one end of the turning cylinder to the other and then disappears. On the film a picture is ready to be developed. Ten minutes have elapsed and a clear photograph has been transmitted from one side of the continent to the other. This is the miraculous scene imagined by the radio editor of the New York Herald Tribune. What is the basis for it? Exactly forty-five minutes after a picture was taken in Cleveland, Ohio, on May 19, it was exhibited completely developed to a group gathered in a skyscraper room of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York, who had watched the picture being spun, flash by flash, upon the sensitive film plate of a complex machine. Perfect in every detail, the photograph had been transmitted over 522 miles of long distance telephone lines by a new system of electrical transmission of photographs. Only five minutes were consumed in actual transmission of the picture, the rest being required for development. Such is the account which New York and Cleveland papers carried in one form or other the next day.

The man who thinks there is no hell never tried to negotiate a union suit in an upper berth—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

In reply to an inquiry, this paper would say that its information is that a minor can only be supplied liquor by consent of his parent or guardian, or for medicinal purposes, and any infringement of this provision renders the convicted person liable, for the first offence to imprisonment from one to three months without the option of a fine.

Most hospitals suffer from "that eternal lack of peace" which the poet has deplored. Not often enough does a hospital have such an experience of a grateful memory as the Royal London Ophthalmic Hospital reports. Just 12 years ago a poor patient received treatment at this hospital and had his eyesight saved. Recently his mother died at a ripe old age, in New York. She has bequeathed to the hospital \$3,000 in recognition of the service rendered long ago to her son.

### FARMER'S ADVICE TO FARMERS

The Regina Leader brings up the ever-recurring subject of mixed farming for Western Canada. In doing so it confesses that the farmers may be pardoned if they occasionally protest against outsiders telling them how to run their business. The Leader changes the usual tactics in this instance by quoting not the advice of theorists but of a practical farmer who has seen the folly of one-crop farming. A North Dakota farmer writes as follows in the La Moure Chronicle: "It surprises me to learn that there are farmers in this community who have made money every year for many years. But I ought not to be surprised. During a recent period two of the shrewdest, most far-seeing and conservative men of this community have expressed in my presence their conviction that La Moure county—and indeed the entire southern portion of the state—is on the eve of an era of remarkable prosperity. Being the kind of men they are, this conviction is based upon sound reasoning. They are practical men who do not indulge in 'blind faith' stunts. We know now that here in La Moure county—and probably in every section of the state—we can successfully grow corn, alfalfa, and sweet clover, as well as oats, rye, barley and other grains. That spells success—no question about it. I doubt whether anyone can point to a single successful wheat farmer in North Dakota. But I can point to scores of farmers who are succeeding along the lines of farming above indicated. I could give you the name of a well-known citizen of this community who made more money off his farm last year than he had made previously in 10 years. Wheat? Oh, no! Corn and hogs. And with practically no hired help, trouble or expense. The Iowa system—only in Iowa the land is valued at \$300 an acre and here at \$50. Quite some difference in our favor."

### SHIPPING WINTER-FED CATTLE

Large shipments of winter-fed cattle are now being forwarded from the province for the Eastern and British markets. Recently several large shipments have been made from central and northern Alberta, including the shipment of 250 head of cattle fed at the Edmonton Stock Yards by the Edmonton Feeding Co., a shipment of 14 cars from the Kleskun ranch at Sexsmith north-west of Edmonton near Grande Prairie, and a shipment of six cars from as far north as Pouce Coupe in the Peace River district. The shipment of 144 head was made from Pouce Coupe by J. A. Dudley, who drove the cattle the six day trip into Spirit River from Pouce Coupe, the cattle all being in good shape. Another interesting shipment was made recently of a small lot from the farm of J. J. Powers in the Clear Hills district north of Peace River. These cattle were fed in the open all winter, which is another evidence of what can be done in agriculture in this district, which is more than 400 miles north-west of Edmonton.

In choosing a husband some women display a keen sense of humor.

It's about time for someone to issue a ukase against cutting remarks about bobbed hair.

Rounding up wild horses in Alberta, with none found, places the proceeding in the class of the wild goose chase.

It has been held in the Supreme Court in Vienna that when a woman beats her spouse such a beating is "but the natural reaction to his conduct." In other words it is a case of "two hearts beating as one."

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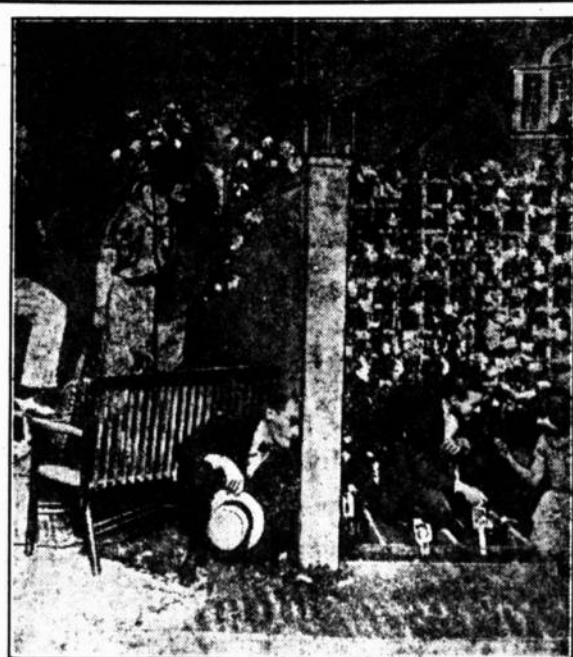
Surface laborers in Alberta coal mines are paid \$6.58 for an eight hour day. Drivers get \$7.21 for the same number of hours. Machinists, carpenters and blacksmiths are paid \$8.14. Machine miners pull down \$8.02 and contract miners \$10, all the wages stated being on a basis of eight hours of labor. These wage bills furnish the explanation of the excessive cost of coal at pit mouth. Next there comes the cost of hauling. Conductors of freight trains are paid \$5.80 per hundred mile run; engineers of freight trains, \$6.64; firemen, \$4.88; brakemen, \$4.48; higher rates in all cases being allowed for overtime. Telegraphers receive \$117 to \$128 per month, and dispatchers \$230 to \$238 per month. It was announced Monday that a \$7 freight rate on Alberta coal coming into Ontario is likely to prevail again this summer. With the enormous charges of production and transportation indicated above the wonder is that Alberta coal can be laid down in Ontario for \$14 or \$15 per ton.

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## VULCAN CHAUTAUQUA

This is What They Say of What we are Going to Have

Chautauqua has been in British Columbia, and The Armstrong Advertiser has the following editorial reference to the identical program that is to be presented in Vulcan, and also in its news columns gives the review of the several attractions which we print below.

"Chautauqua has come again and by the time this reaches our readers will have gone again. Comparing the festival with previous years the standard of entertainment and instruction afforded by it has been more than maintained. The audiences in the big tent have been satisfactory. Judging from the manifestation given at the performance, and by the comment outside they have also been well satisfied. The committee have reason to be satisfied as well. The financing of such an ambitious enterprise as a whole week of such performances is necessarily difficult. And like all such enterprises it is apt to fall upon a limited number. But the reward they have for their venture and sacrifice is the reflection that much pleasure and not a little inspiration and instruction has been placed within the reach of many in the community who would otherwise have found it hard or impossible to get it."

The sixth annual Chautauqua opened here on Friday last. The first evening's program was a performance of Prof. Pamabaska's pet animals. Judging from the appreciative applause, which greeted the feats of these pets, the evening's performance was an entire success. The professor opened the proceedings with a short explanatory lecture, telling of his experience and methods in training his pets. He stated that in his judgment the average intelligence of the mongrel was higher than that of the purebred animal, and the mongrel being less nervous and high strung was more easily trained. Some of the dogs shown in the performance were actually picked up off the streets and had no special adaptation for training above that of other dogs.

The performing Shetland pony was a favorite with the younger element in the audience, and while the accomplishments of the dogs, cats and canaries—not to speak of our old friend the monkey—were all interesting, the entertainment reached its climax in the performances of the cockatoos. Cockatoos were, the professor stated, the kings and queens of the parrot world. They live to the age of about 100 years, and the beautiful Brazilian Macaw on the stage was stated to be 35 years old. In their engaging appearance and clever tricks the cockatoos proved attractive and intelligent in a high degree. The whole evening's programme was well received and was a splendid send off for the festival week.

The second day had mingled elements of amusement and instruction. Lee and Ellis provided first-class light entertainment in music and dialogue, at both afternoon and evening programmes. Miss Lee in song both grave and gay and Miss Ellis in her varied violin pieces were both individually popular, while in their combined dialogue selection they were irresistibly amusing. Their personation of two girls at a picture show was a very clever imitation.

Following their prelude of music, both afternoon and evening, a lecture followed. In the afternoon Prof. Henri LeBarr of Boston gave a very interesting popular lecture on character analysis. He explained how physical characteristics of face and form betokened mental and moral qualities. He emphasized the importance of knowing ourselves and of being able to know and understand others. The parent should strive to understand their child, the business man should know those he employs. He affirmed that 65 per cent of those now in penitentiaries were there because they had been misunderstood as children. He appealed for a more widespread knowledge of human character, so that the tragedies of misfits and the misdirections of talent and energy which are so numerous might be avoided. Dr. LeBarr gave an interesting practical demonstration of the principles of character analysis by portraying the qualities of two of our well known citizens, Dr. VanKleck and Mrs. Dimock, who by popular vote were sent to the platform to be the subjects of the professor's analytical skill.

In the evening a large audience listened to the lecture entitled "Tomb hunting in the Valley of the Kings" by Rev. C. Vincent Hall. Mr. Hall had a splendid set of photographic lantern slides on Egypt, with a splendid collection of first hand pictures of the exploratory work done at Tutankhamen's tomb and of many articles taken from it, the story which has excited such world wide interest. Mr. Hall had the advantage, both for himself and his hearers, of speaking with first-hand knowledge of his subject, having been one of the party present at the excavations made by Mr. Howard Carter. His lecture gave a splendid presentation and illustration of the dominating interest taken by the ancient Egyptians in the life after death and their convictions in regard to it. This led their wealthy Pharaohs to build such great tombs as the pyramids and to practice the art of embalming their bodies that they might be preserved for rehabilitation by the Ra or Soul, after its wanderings in the spirit realm. The danger of invasion and robbery of such tombs as the pyramids led other Pharaohs to use tombs such as Tutankhamen's, cut in the rock of the desolate gulch in the desert known as the Valley of the Kings. Mr. Hall's words and pictures were alike most vivid and must have left an indelible impression on the minds of all who listened to his entrancing account of the discovery and entry of this ancient and wonderful tomb.

On Sunday no regular session of the Chautauqua was held but a united service was held in the tent in the evening at which Rev. C. Vincent Hall gave the address.

Monday was a music lover's day at the festival. The Metropolitan Symphony Band occupied the platform at both afternoon and evening performances. Mr. Samuel Davidson wielded the baton and under his efficient leadership the orchestra provided excellent music both classical and popular. The stringed instruments showed to good advantage in "Barcarolle" and the full orchestra rendering of the "Anvil Song" in the evening was exceedingly popular. Where individual players all did their share well, distinctions would not be in order. The member of the orchestra who managed the drums, cymbals and other musical tools deserved all the admiration his skilful use of these many varied instruments drew forth.

The orchestra as a whole was a well balanced musical combination, and the pieces were selected to suit all tastes. The children had a special treat in the playing of "Barney Google" and other such modern airs as the youngsters love. More cannot be said for Mr. Davidson's orchestra than that those who listened to it would be delighted to do so again.

Of the two vocal soloists who assisted at these performances, Mr. Fenwick Newell had appeared in Armstrong before and was warmly welcomed back. He sang only at the evening performance and his full and pure tenor voice was a rich treat. Miss Eden favoured the audience at both programmes and was listened to with enjoyment. Her voice and enunciation were of a superior order. The rendering of the "Miserere" from Il Trovatore by these two gifted singers to the accompaniment of the full orchestra will be remembered with pleasure by those who heard them.

The fourth day of the festival was featured by the Pattons. The leader of this trio explained that while the name of the party had been retained one of the Patton brothers, Donald, had, like the man in the parable, married a wife and therefore could not come. His place had been taken by a young gentleman of Holland by the given name of Adrian. It can be said for the happy married Patton that if he could not come himself, he sent a good substitute.

The Pattons part on a most tasteful and well rendered programme in the afternoon their series of episodes were without exception artistic in form and musically speaking of a high standard. The religious and popular episodes naturally appealed most to the average listener but they were all much appreciated by both young and old. The musical interludes and short recitations by the leader and accompanist charmed the audience. Adrian's Dutch folk song of the Nun and her suitor, even though in a foreign tongue, had a human appeal which was thoroughly understood and enjoyed. Their evening prelude to the lecture in the form of rollicking sea songs and recent popular melodies called forth the loudest and most cordial applause. If encores had been in order the Pattons would have been kept on the evening.

The lecture, however, which followed held the undivided attention of the crowd. Dr. Burns in "Chords and Discords" presented in a vivid way some of the defects of our modern civilization and made an appeal for the revival of the fundamental virtues of truth, honesty and purity. His quotation of statistics regarding crime and divorce on the North American continent revealed a downward tendency in our social conditions. Dr. Burns traced this tendency to the disintegration of the home and the loss of authority in that sphere. He disclaimed being a pessimist and would admit that many homes were ideal, but held that laxity, un wisdom and lovelessness in home life was too frequent cause of the criminality of our day.

His lecture was interspersed with much racy anecdotes, illustrations and imitations which drove home its more serious points. It also contained much timely advice to parents and citizens.

### INTERESTING ITEMS

The report that Alf. Cuddy, former head of Alberta Provincial Police, would become head of the C.P.R. department of investigation, is denied by the railway.

Spring farming conditions in Alberta, although a trifle late, are extremely encouraging owing to the moisture in the ground, with the exception of two or three isolated districts, which at the present time is ample for germination and early growth. Rapid progress is being made with seeding, latest reports from the south country being to the effect that 75 to 80 per cent of the wheat is now in. In the eastern section of the province, from 40 to 50 per cent has been completed, while in the north the work is being pushed quickly on.

### INTERESTING ITEMS

Resolutions passed at the Guelph association of Baptist Churches in session at St. Mary's, Ont., last week, called on the young people to avoid the menace of frivolous and dangerous recreations, such as dancing, euchre parties, gambling and Sabbath breaking.

Settlers from many countries are arriving in Alberta in considerable numbers each week, most of them being from Britain and northern Europe, with several parties from the United States.

In addition to the activity in the Lethbridge-Coult's oil field this year, there will also be drilling on at least five different locations in the Wainwright field east of Edmonton this summer.

## CROP REPORT

Heavy showers of rain in many districts in the province have considerably improved the condition of the new crop, and the outlook is much brighter in consequence than at the date of the last report. The rains were fairly general in most districts and the precipitation in the past fortnight has varied from a quarter of an inch to more than an inch in some of the more central and northern districts. The south eastern section of the province which had commenced to feel the lack of moisture, reports some very satisfactory showers, though not over a wide area. The early-sown grain is not suffering, but some of the late-sown grain in the dryer districts has not germinated well. New wheat is from four to ten inches in height, and seeding of oats and barley is nearing completion. There has been considerable delay in the seeding of oats for green feed, and much of this is yet to be done. Seeding of corn is reported in many districts and in some places this crop is being sown in preference to sunflowers, not only in the southern districts, but in some of the central districts as well. Irrigating is general in the south, and the alfalfa crop is showing strong growth. Rather sharp frosts occurred in several districts about the 19th of the month, but very little damage resulted. Pastureage is rather poor in south-eastern localities, but in the central and northern districts is better, and some districts report the outlook for the hay crop is the most promising in years. Generally speaking, crop conditions may be said to be very satisfactory. In no localities is the growing grain suffering for lack of moisture and this fact is due largely to the splendid soil conditions at the beginning of the season, which may be said to have been the best in years. Grasshoppers have become numerous in several localities, both south and north, but the department is meeting the situation with the organization which proved so effective during the past two seasons. Cutworms are also giving trouble in a few places.

## MARKET REPORT

Calgary beef market had nothing much this week up to Wednesday, when some better steers were on hand; choice heavy \$6@6.50; choice light \$6@6.25; good \$5.25@5.50; medium \$4@4.50; common from \$3.50 down. Females not bringing as much; choice heifers \$4.25@4.75; good \$3.75@4.25; medium \$3@3.75; common \$2@2.75; canners from \$1.50 down. Choice bulls \$2@2.75, and a top of \$3; plain to common \$1@1.50. Choice veal calves \$5@7.50; common heavy \$2.50@4.50. Feeders, Stockers—Not many on hand this week, but active last week end; choice feeders \$4.50@4.75 and a two bit spread either way on quality; stocker steers \$3@4.25.

Receipts at Calgary not very heavy and thick smooths selling most of the time at \$6.65; with 10 p.c. premium on selects.

With lambing time on and shearing under way, there has been very little movement of wools to the market at Calgary or Edmonton; choice lambs would bring \$13@13.50; wethers around \$12@12.50; and fat ewes \$6@8.

Grain markets firm to stronger for the greater part of the week and exporters and seaboard buyers taking a lot of our wheat. Coarse grains following the wheat and the outlook for the balance of the crop is favorable. Crop conditions throughout the west are good. Alberta has been getting quite a lot of moisture during the week and though growth is not rapid the general condition is very favorable. Slight frost reported in some districts, but nothing serious.

Eggs—Prices show another advance during the week with extras quoted at 20c; No. 1 18c; No. 2 13c and cracks 9c, by Calgary dealers; market firm on top grades, but No. 2 grade very plentiful. Poultry—Market steady and unchanged on live and dressed poultry; no broilers coming on market yet, but two pounders will be moving soon.

Creamery butter—Prices unchanged on prints and cartons, the No. 1 still quoted 34@35c; No. 2 4c down. Very little car lot movement, Alberta points probably 30c. Cream—All prices up 2c for the week, with specials at 31c; No. 1 29c; No. 2 26c and off grade 21c; production not up to peak yet; above prices effective Calgary and Edmonton; country points 2c under. Dairy butter—Only active demand for fancy grade table article, worth around 22c; dealers quote straight shipments 16c. Cheese unchanged at 18c and 21c for twins and stiltons; market not active.

### WHEAT IN THE NORTHLAND

Herman Trelle, who took second place with his Marquis wheat at the Chicago International Exposition last year, and whose farm is at Lake Saskatchewan west of Grande Prairie, and 300 miles northwest of Edmonton, reports that on May 24 his new wheat stood nine inches above ground. He sent a sample to W. J. Stephen, field crops commissioner of the government, the past week to prove his contention. Prof. Cutler of the university was also the recipient of a sample.

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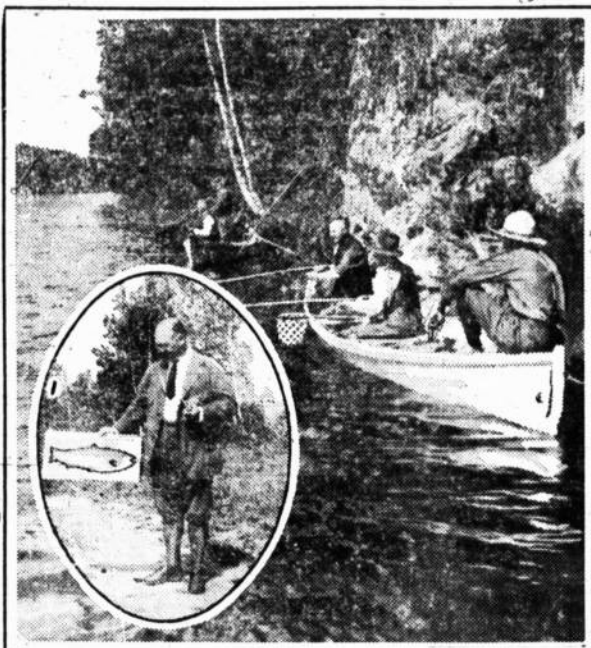
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Sometimes the awakening comes in the form of a rude shock. A physician's dictum. But as often, as not in quite another form. That subtle and yet tangible shock received when some younger, fresher mind, some "mere chit of a fellow" beats us at our own game. That is the awakening that hurts. Because we know that at the club, other men are saying "Well down on the job." Whereas the truth is, "Stuck to his job, not wisely but too well," would be so much nearer the truth.

When civilization first began its pressure. When business first began to be so intense we felt we "could not leave it," the number of "break-downs" was terrific. But just about that time we began to see that to go down and out was not playing the game, but surrendering, surrendering not altogether to pressure from without but to weakness within—a failure to stand up against "fearful odds"—unexpected lunges. And so we began to cast about for a means of strength—that iron strength of nerve—which would stand up squarely under ordinary fire and rise like a well-trimmed ship to meet the waves of unexpected storms.

This thing has been thought out and acted upon as a positive condition of modern life and business we may say within the past twenty years, and more firmly yet within the last ten years.

Men now go away and leave their business at least once each year. And the wisest take a vacation not only in summer but in winter as well. The more intense the business, the heavier the fire, the greater need for re-inforcing that strength which is burned out. The greater need for the gathering up of new ideas.

So, when you see a business-man, a banker or railroad president, or a company official, or any other desk-ribbon jockey casting the fly on the French River, or exhibiting the skin of a Nipigon trout sketched on a board, pleased as any school boy who has carried his hat out at cricket, or kicked a goal for the school team, you know him not so much for a great sport as for a good business man. The very fact that he belongs to those who get back to Nature wins your confidence. You know him for a man who has the business situation of the day in hand. One who is abreast—ahead even—of that tide which surges in the affairs of men. "A live wire," competing youth, calls him.—Victoria Hayward.

## CUTS OF BEEF

The pot roast which is frequently used by the thrifty housewife in the effort to keep down her butcher bill and still provide good meals, may be made from many of the cheaper cuts, such as the chuck, of the beef carcass. After being wiped with a damp cloth it is placed in a covered pan or casserole, with two cups or more of hot water. It should be covered tightly and baked in a moderate oven or on top of the stove, keeping the heat just below the boiling point. Pamphlet No. 43 of the department of agriculture at Ottawa, obtainable from the publications branch, shows how the meat bill may be reduced by utilizing the cheaper cuts of beef. One half hour's time for each pound of meat in the roast is recommended. About an hour and a quarter before serving, pared potatoes and sliced carrots and onions may be added. When ready to serve, the roast should be removed to a hot platter and the gravy thickened and seasoned. If the meat is very fat, it is advisable to remove the fat from the top of the gravy before thickening. The pamphlet contains many other recipes for utilizing the cheaper cuts of beef.

### DECAYED TEETH

If your teeth are decayed they make poisons in your body. Be sure to clean your teeth, tongue and gums thoroughly each night and morning by brushing with a tooth-brush. Move the brush up and down with a circular motion, as well as across the teeth. If you can do so, clean them after each meal. Fruit, especially apples, after a meal are good mouth and tooth cleaners.

The tree planting car of the Canadian Forestry Association, which is now touring the southern portion of the province, held 24 meetings during the month of April, which were largely attended.

### METHODS IN RAISING STOCK

The Financial Post draws attention to the necessity of the raising of livestock on the farm becoming a proposition requiring business methods through high interest rates, cost of labor, and big prices for feed. Apart from first costs in securing good foundation stock, it points out, it costs just about as much to feed and market scrub cattle as it does prime animals—and the latter will often bring double the price or more. It gives the following result of a demonstration at one of the big experimental farms as reported by the press: Two two-year-old steers, fed alike for five and one-half months in the feed lot were slaughtered and a comparison of the carcasses made. One dressed carcass weighed 175 pounds; this steer came from a herd headed by a pure bred Hereford sire. The other one weighed 470 pounds; it was a common steer with out breeding. When marketed the better animal brought 19 cents a pound wholesale, while the scrub brought only 12 cents. The difference in price, together with the difference in weight, gave the Hereford steer a money value more than double that of the common steer. The dressing percentage of the Hereford was 61 per cent, and that of the scrub only 42 per cent. With the country going in more extensively for mixed farming, and with the encouragement our irrigation areas give to this particular form of farming, simply buying few head of cattle, as the Financial Post notes, will not solve the problem of the wheat grower. His stock venture will merely prove to be another gamble if he does not select animals of the proper type and provide for feeding and marketing them in a scientific way. It all comes down to a question of putting the farm on a business basis, which is wholesome and practical advice.

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**FOREST FIRES**

In a little more than two weeks the hazardous fire season this year 90 forest fires have been reported in the B.C. railway belt, the forest reserves of Alberta, and in other areas of this province that are patrolled by the forestry department. These fires burned over 38,250 acres, some of which was covered with valuable timber, and the rest of it with brush. Farm property has been destroyed and the country has had to pay a big bill to fight these fires. This estimate, which is made from the weekly summary compiled by the headquarters of the forestry branch in Calgary, does not take into consideration the hundreds of small brush fires that occurred in municipalities.

Of the total 90 fires, 44 were in Alberta and 46 in the British Columbia railway belt. Forestry officials say that practically all the fires were started by carelessness, most of them from the operations of settlers clearing land without taking proper precautions. As a result of some of the fires prosecutions are being carried out.

With snow and rain this week followed by scattered rains for several days, the first hazard condition has improved greatly. The young growth is also coming ahead fast and this adds to the protection. According to the latest reports, conditions in all Alberta forests, except the far north, are fairly good. In the Lesser Slave forest reserve conditions are still considered dangerous.

In the B.C. railway belt—20 miles on either side of the C.P.R. main line which is administered from the Calgary forestry office—the extreme fire hazard has been relieved by rain from Hope east to the Alberta boundary, but conditions on the coast section are dangerous. Practically all the fires in the territory, controlled from Calgary are out and the few that are still smoldering are well under control.

Following the experiments that have been made in the United States the local forestry branch is taking steps to get field instruments with which to measure the humidity of the air. It has been found recently that this is a great factor in controlling fire. Interesting facts have been learned recently along this line, growing out of general knowledge that has been familiar to foresters for many years. Experiments are now being made in the United States in order to try to forecast the humidity conditions. If this can be accomplished it will be another great help in preventing forest fires.

**FARM STATISTICS**

In conjunction with the Dominion Bureau of Statistics, the Provincial Department of Agriculture is now engaged in its annual enumeration of areas sown to crop and of farm livestock throughout the Province. Card schedules upon which the farmers are asked to enumerate the areas sown to various crops on their farms, and the number of livestock owned by them or sold and slaughtered during the past season, have been distributed by the Dominion Bureau in co-operation with the Provincial Department. These schedules have been mailed to secretaries of school districts, for distribution to farmers through the medium of the school teachers and school children, through other mediums. The co-operation of the farmers of the Province is earnestly solicited in this work. This enumeration is simply an agricultural stock-taking, and the statistics gathered thereby are reliable only so far as the farmers give their co-operation, and provide accurate returns. Farmers need not fear that these returns will be used for income tax purposes. The returns are received and dealt with under secrecy, and the individual returns are not published, merely the resulting totals. The schedules, when filled out by the farmers, should be returned to the school teachers, or to the secretary-treasurers of the school districts, who will in turn mail them back to the Department of Agriculture at Edmonton. These schedules later are sorted into crop districts and sent to the Dominion Bureau of Statistics at Ottawa for final compilation. Farmers are asked to fill in the schedules as accurately as possible, and return them at the earliest possible moment. School teachers or secretaries who find the supply of schedules sent them insufficient may secure more by applying to the Department of Agriculture at Edmonton.

A change has been made in connection with the withdrawals from the post office savings bank. Hitherto, no money could be withdrawn until three days after the application. Now, however, instructions from the department provide that amounts up to \$25 can be withdrawn on demand, providing the depositor presents himself with his bank book at the postoffice.

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Over 600,000 bushels of grain have been shipped out from points on the Alberta and Great Waterways Railway the past season of which more than 350,000 bushels were wheat, and more than 193,000 were oats. One point, Bon Accord, holds the record of a total shipment of 398,000 bushels. On the other government-owned line, the Lacombe and Northwestern, which runs north-west from Lacombe to Headlev, the total shipments were nearly one million bushels of grain, the wheat shipments alone totalling 675,000 bushels. The record point on this line was Bentley with a shipment of 279,000 bushels.

**NORTH ROAD GRAIN SHIPMENTS**

The French aviator who had his airplane wrecked in China is now using a Chinese machine to continue his journey. You can't keep a good man down.

**ITEMS OF INTEREST**

The Southern Alberta oil well is now under new management with J.P. Pugh as president. This is an excellent property and produced a very high quality of gasoline.

Unemployment is less in Alberta at present than at any time in the past few years. At the end of last week only 393 men were registered throughout the province as out of work.

Besides the Hollanders who have already arrived to take up land in the irrigated Lethbridge district, another party of 64 members from Britain have also just located in the area.

The first offender under the new liquor law now in effect, arrested in the city of Calgary for bootlegging, was sentenced to a term of six months imprisonment by the magistrate there.

Members of a committee of New Zealand dairymen who are making a world tour investigating dairying conditions in various countries were visitors to Alberta the past week, and interviewed C. P. Marker, dairy commissioner. They were keenly interested in Alberta dairy conditions.

A full complement of passengers for the arctic will leave Edmonton June 17 to catch the first steamer on the northern waters for the Arctic regions. The party will include the judicial party going north for the annual court sessions in the north, and a considerable number of tourists and prospectors.

Baron Lago and F. Gniezowski, landowners in Poland, are visiting various farming districts in Alberta for the purpose of studying at first-hand agricultural methods as practised in the Canadian West. They plan to settle in Alberta, if the prospects appeal to them after they have completed their investigation.

Postmasters throughout the dominion have received notification from the postal administration at Moscow that the official name of Russia has been changed and is now "L'Union des Republiques Sovietiques Socialistes" (Union of Soviet Socialist Republics) and that this address, instead of Russia, should be used on correspondence.

After observing the Hebrideans getting things in the Red Deer district, W.S. Woods, Calgary district manager of the Land Settlement board, declares that they are of the very finest type of settlers and that they could place many more workers from the Scottish Isles as the farmers were favorably impressed by their ability and industry.

It is understood that contracts accounting for between 6,000 and 7,000 acres have been received at the head office of the Alberta Wheat Pool. The acreage under contract to the pool has been increased by approximately 50,000 acres by means of the membership drive which was begun this year. The pool is now credited with a contract acreage of 2,458,798 acres.

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In the southern part of Sunny Alberta we are served by one railway company and so far there is no complaint about the treatment accorded this part of the province in the matter of new branches to care for well settled districts at a distance from present railway facilities. President Beatty's visit in the province was no doubt made with a view to sizing up the situation and wherever possible to give the settlers proper railway facilities. The Kipp-Little Bow branch, the extension of the road in the Cardston district, the Suffield-Lomond line, carrying it in the direction of Blackie, will probably be completed this or next year. As these territories have long been in need of better railway facilities the C.P.R. will unquestionably give them consideration as it is the aim of the C.P.R. to serve the country in the best way possible.

**DISTRICT AGRICULTURISTS**

Interesting features of the work of the district agriculturists are mentioned in the monthly reports of these representatives for the month of April received at the department of agriculture. One of the chief features of the reports is the great interest being shown in pig club work. This particular work is under the supervision of L. T. Chapman of the department, and is particularly active in the Vegreville, Sedgwick, Olds, Grande Prairie and Sturgeon districts of the central part of the province, and in the Lethbridge district in the south. M. L. Freng, representative at Lethbridge, speaks of having 52 members for his pig club, and 28 members feeding calves for the baby beef contest at the Lethbridge fair. Mr. Freng also tells of his work in assisting irrigation farmers in the new irrigation district to get under way, and also states that he expects about 6,000 acres will be prepared for sugar beets next year in his territory. James Murray, representative at Medicine Hat, is concentrating on work in connection with the growing area under corn and sweet clover, and states that several new varieties of corn will be tried out this year. Several varieties of field beans are also being tested. Mr. Murray is laying the ground work for the first corn show to be held in Medicine Hat this fall. F. H. Mewombe, recently representative at Vegreville, finds the interest in pig clubs very keen at that point. Holstein calves and beef calves have been bought for the dairy and beef clubs respectively and about 35 grade Yorkshires for the pig club. A. R. Judson, newly appointed representative at Grande Prairie and Peace River, is also getting the pig club work organized in his territory and will have at least one strong club going this fall. H. W. Scott at Sedgwick also speaks of the interest in pig club work, and mentions particularly the success the farmers of his territory have had in the winter feeding of steers, the net profits ranging from \$8 to \$19 a head. Mr. Scott says that the creamery at Sedgwick expects to make about 200,000 lbs. of butter this season. All the representatives speak of the growing interest in school fair work in the province.

**A GREAT SEAPORT**

The forces of nature are contributing toward making Vancouver a great seaport—the wheat-producing soil and climate and sunshine of the prairies and the warm ocean currents that keep the port open the year round. Nothing now can prevent its rapid growth as a grain exporting port. It remains to man to equip the port with the required facilities to handle the business that will come to it, and to prevent abuses developing that might injure it.

**FALL LITTERS AND HOG PROFITS**

Many western farmers are of the opinion that little or no money is to be made from fall pigs, but the results of three years experiments at the Dominion experimental station, Lacombe, show that almost as large profits can be made from fall pigs from spring litters. In 1921, with high prices for pork, spring litters showed a profit of \$11.05 per pig and fall litters a profit of \$10.90 per pig. In 1922, 54 spring-farrowed hogs made a profit of \$4.11 each, while 75 fall-farrowed pigs made a profit of \$4.90 each. In 1923 spring-farrowed pigs made a profit of \$5.08 each, and fall farrowed pigs made \$3.62 each. The last mentioned pigs were sold at \$6.25 per hundred. On the average 4.2 pounds of meal was required to produce a pound of pork with pigs wintered in small straw covered cabins, while 3.2 pounds of meal was required to produce a pound of pork with pigs on summer pastures. It costs more to produce pork in the winter, but usually the price in the spring is high enough to more than offset the extra cost. These pigs were all raised and fed under conditions which can be duplicated on any farm. Four essentials to success with fall litters are, proper breeding and feeding, early farrowing, and clean, dry, but not overwarm quarters. Successful winter feeding requires an active hog which will stand feeding in close confinement, as in very cold weather wide range is almost impossible. The Yorkshires are well suited to these conditions and for three winters have given much better results than either the Berkshires or the Duroc-Jerseys. The Yorkshires will feed and run around and keep warm, while in cold weather the others will feed, go back to their cabins, and lie down and shiver. For fall litters sows should be bred not later than May 24. The young pigs will then be sufficiently developed to stand cold weather when it comes in November. Fall litters are usually stronger and more even than spring litters, and hairless pigs are almost unknown in the fall. Fall litters must not be overfed. Many pigs are ruined by heavy feeding during the first few weeks after weaning. A hungry pig is usually a healthy, active pig, while an overfed fall pig is easily crippled and stunted. Fall pigs will winter well in a straw covered shelter, but not over ten or twelve pigs should be allowed in one lot. If the smaller pigs are kept separate from the larger they will do much better, and crowding and steaming in the shelter will be avoided. By raising two litters a year the returns from the sows can be almost doubled, and the year's profits very largely increased.

The E. B. Eddy Company, Limited, will spend between \$1,000,000 and \$3,000,000 in improvements to the plant in Hull.

"Despite the fact that the Danish government looks with disfavor upon the exodus of its subjects from Denmark to other countries, nevertheless there is every likelihood that there will be a large influx of first class Danish farmers to Canada during the present season of navigation," stated Mrs. T. Gold, of Aalestrup, Denmark who arrived at Quebec recently in charge of a party of 40 Danish farmers and domestics.

J. W. Jenkins and Harold S. Jenkins, proprietors of the Maple Leaf Farm, near Aldersyde, will establish a silver fox farm on their place this year with ten pairs of high grade registered silver foxes. These were purchased from one of the best fox farms on Prince Edward Island and delivery will be made about October 1st, 1924. They also have for sale ten pair of silver fox pups and any person desiring information should consult Messrs. Jenkins & Son at their farm.

**NO YONG PARK.**

No Yong Park is one of the outstanding figures of the Oriental world. He is a Korean, possessed of all the keen intelligence of the upper classes of his people. Everyone knows of the unjust acquisition of Korea by Japan. It is one of the international breaches of faith which causes all right thinking people to blush. No Yong Park was a newspaper editor. He dared to come out openly and fearlessly against the seizure of his native land by an alien power, and for this most worthy and patriotic stand he was thrown into prison by Japan. Later, he was exiled, and since that sentence was imposed upon him, he has been around the world a number of times. There is no one who has made a more thorough study of the age old foreign policy of the Japanese Government than has No Yong Park. In addition to the clear cut, logical discussion of his subject, Mr. Park brings a wealth of rare humor. He is known as the Mark Twain of the Orient. Mr. Park speaks English fluently. You cannot afford to fail in attendance upon this most instructive and entertaining lecture.

**Government Liquor Control Act of Alberta****APPLICATION FOR BEER LICENSE**

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## OBITUARY

Mrs. Clémentine Stewart Smith died at the home of her son, Mr. J. S. Smith, north of Vulcan, on May 30th, in the 77th year of her age. Deceased was born at "Tintinver," Duffton, Banffshire, Scotland, and was married in that country, where there was born a family of three sons and a daughter. The father died in Scotland as the result of an accident, and the eldest son was killed by a fall from a building, and the second son, who went from Canada to the great war, was killed at the front. Some twenty years ago the deceased, with two sons and daughter came to Claresholm, where the latter was married and since died in British Columbia. Mrs. Smith was the last surviving member of the family to which she belonged, and by her death there now only remains one of her own family, namely, Mr. J. S. Smith, an esteemed resident of the district, with whom the mother has resided for seven or more years. Mrs. Smith was highly esteemed by neighbors and friends, who deeply regret her demise. There was a large attendance at the funeral to Highland cemetery, the place of interment, and impressive burial services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Thompson, minister at Red Cross. Floral tributes were received from Mayview U.F.W.A., Berrywater U.F.W.A., Mr. and Mrs. Nafziger, Mr. and Mrs. Bateman, Miss Huntley, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, and members of the family.

## MAYVIEW NEWS

We regret to report the death of Mrs. Smith Sr., on May 30. The funeral, which was very largely attended, was to the Highland cemetery. The casket was covered with flowers from the following friends: anchor, Mayview U.F.W.A.; spray, friends in Berrywater U.F.W.A.; wreath, the family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Bateman, Mr. and Mrs. Nafziger; spray, Mrs. Huntley; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Dalmend. Friends from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Milo; Mr. Stevenson, Misses Kathleen and Myrtle Stevenson, Claresholm; Mrs. Huntley, Vancouver; Mr. Fletcher, Brant.

Mr. and Mrs. LaChapelle spent Sunday with Milo friends.

Sorry to report Mrs. Burr under the doctor's care.

Mr. and Mrs. O'Neil were Sunday visitors at Mr. McKenzie's, Berrywater.

Mrs. LaChapelle is enjoying a visit from her father, Mr. Loughren, Calgary.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Richardson motored to Calgary last Monday.

## BERRYWATER NEWS

The U.F.W.A. held a meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Douglas on Thursday, May 29th, postponed from the previous day owing to the weather, and a pleasant social time was spent by all fifteen members and several visitors were present. Mrs. Oldfield presided and after the usual business had been gone through there followed a very interesting programme. Mrs. Noble gave a reading on co-operative marketing, and a demonstration on the making of an angel food cake, by Mrs. L. Douglas was watched with much interest. Miss Gilhooley gave a practical demonstration on first aid. These ladies were given a hearty vote of thanks for their helpful demonstrations. The roll call answers consisted of some really good hints on first aid for various accidents and sudden illnesses. All present were sorry to hear of the illness of Mrs. J. Baden, who has always been a real live wire in all things connected with our local and all wish her a speedy recovery and look forward to her return home. On Friday evening, May 30th, a joint meeting of the U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. was held in Berrywater school, Mr. Wilson Oldfield presiding, and this meeting was fairly well attended, though it is hoped that many more members will make an effort to attend these meetings. After a discussion of several business items of interest to the U.F.A., a paper on co-operative marketing was read by Mrs. F. Noble, followed by a violin solo by Miss Timms. Mr. L. Oldfield then gave a report on the district convention recently held in Vulcan, and Miss Gilhooley gave two recitations in her usual pleasing style, after which Mrs. W. Campbell and Miss Timms gave a delightful instrumental item. It was hoped that Mr. McPherson would have addressed this meeting. We understand he was unavoidably prevented from attending. The U. F. W. A. sale of cooking was definitely arranged to take place in the Vulcan rest room on the afternoon and evening of June 7. The next meeting of the U.F.W.A. takes place at the home of Mrs. J. Douglas on June 11, and a meeting of the U.F.A. will be held on the evening of June 13th, in Berrywater school. All members are cordially invited to attend.

Alberta seed growers are looking to this year being the most prosperous ever known in the seed-growing industry. During the past few years they have brought great honor to the province and themselves in securing the highest awards available at the Chicago International Hay and Grain Show. Alberta growers, in 1923, produced and marketed more registered seed than all the other provinces of Canada. In the marketing of this seed, it has been distributed throughout the dominion, as well as many parts of the United States.

## SCHOOL REPORT

Following is the report of Highland school for May. \* Denotes perfect attendance.

Grade VII—Walter Sinclair 82, Grade V—Harry Graham 85, \*Lyndetta Parslow 76, \*Jean Stewart 74.

Grade IV—Annie Hoffman 88, \*Hattie Wood 84, \*Nellie Wood 83.

Grade III—Mona Hanson 79, Vera Burns 74, Evelyn Phillips 73, \*Gordon Sinclair 71, \*Frank Wood 69, \*Arlene Hanson 68, \*Vera Rohrs 64.

Grade II—Meryl Burns 85, \*Margaret Hoffman 78, \*Arlene Sinclair 76, Alice Rohrs 63.

Grade I—Edith Woods.

## OFF FOR THE OLD COUNTRY

Charles Clark, editor of The Times, left High River on Monday last for Toronto where he will attend the annual convention of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper Association which will be held in that city on the 5th, 6th and 7th insts. There he will join about one hundred and fifty members of the association in specially arranged over-seas trip to England, Scotland, France and other points, going by the S. S. "Melita" of the Canadian Pacific Railway Co., which has carefully arranged the itinerary and will look after the comfort and pleasures of the newspaper men until they again reach Canada, which is expected to be about August 4th. His friends and staffs of the High River Times and the Vulcan Advocate wish him a "bon voyage" and trust that the trip and its relaxation from the steady and confining cares of the office will do him a world of good. This trip has been one of the ambitions of his life which the present conditions in arrangement have made it possible for him to realize.

## A DEAD INDIAN

An Indian was found dead about a quarter of a mile this side of the bridge at Black Diamond early this week. He was lying a short distance from the roadside with a blanket over him with a loaded wagon close to him and his team grazing near by. From the condition of the body it was evident that death had taken place about 10 days before. Const. Millar went out from town with A. W. Kelly and brought the remains in here after Dr. Ardell, who was at Black Diamond at the time, had examined them. The body was buried here. Nobody here knows anything about the deceased who is supposed to have strayed away from one of the reserves.—Okotoks Review.

## FARMING ON BIG SCALE

McHugh Bros., farming in the Gleichen and Carlsland district, have just completed the seeding of 3,700 acres of wheat. The drills were pulled in Friday afternoon, after completing the work, and it is one of the largest acreages ever put in by these farmers. It is all seeded on good wheat land in the Bow Valley district, and with conditions the very best at the present time the brothers are looking forward to a bumper crop. Wheat seeded early is now above the ground, is of good color, and the stand is of the best. There has been no damage from hail, frost or pest. With plenty of moisture, growth is taking place rapidly, it was stated. Walter McHugh of the above firm of big farmers is a councillor of Dintion Municipality.

## CLAIMS \$250,000

Suit for \$250,000 was filed in supreme court yesterday by Dai Thomas, Welsh international footballer, now a resident of Vancouver, against R. H. Gale and the Terminal Elevator Company. Mr. Thomas claims this sum as commission under the terms of a certain letter alleged to have been written by R. H. Gale for the Terminal Elevator company. Thomas is understood, bases his claim on the contention that he was instrumental in assisting to enlist the Spillers' capital in Mr. Gale's elevator project in Vancouver.



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## ITEMS OF INTEREST

The first offender under the new liquor law now in effect, arrested in the city of Calgary for bootlegging, was sentenced to a term of six months imprisonment by the magistrate there.

A woman went to buy some cigars for her husband, who was laid up. "Do you want them mild or strong, madam?" asked the tobacconist. "Give me the strongest you have," she said. "The last ones he had broke in his pocket."

It has been decided in the Saskatchewan Court of Appeal that barristers not resident in the Province are not entitled to fees in cases tried there. This is rather disconcerting to when it comes to lawyers reaching out for fees.

Dr. J. S. Plaskett is the director of the Dominion astrophysical observatory at Victoria, B.C., with one of the largest reflecting telescopes in the world. Dr. Plaskett has won world-wide renown as an astronomer and is the discoverer of a star named after him.

The sixth annual farm young people's week at the University will be held June 4 to June 10. Lectures on agricultural topics, with a program of entertainment, is provided for those who attend, who include young people from the farms between the ages of 16 and 25.

Jugo-Slavs, Czech-Slovaks, Poles, Belgians and Hebrideans are included in recent batches of immigrant parties arriving in Alberta. All are able-bodied men, willing to work on farms until they gain knowledge and save money enough to start them on the land for themselves.

Eleven cars of prime Alberta beef were shipped from Cardston recently to Great Falls, consisting of 300 head. Some of the steers brought \$110 and the average price paid per head was \$75. Market your grain on the hoof is a slogan followed by many Alberta farmers and it is a good slogan at that.

In accordance with the request of the Dominion government, the Alberta Government has appointed A. B. Campbell, prominent Edmontonian to be magistrate at Jasper National Park, and G. E. Hunter to be magistrate at Banff National Park, these officials being maintained by the Dominion government.

A party of Canadian daily newspaper men and wives were entertained at the Alberta Capital during the past week on their way to the annual convention at Vancouver. Some of the visitors had not been west before, and naturally were greatly impressed with what they saw in Alberta. On their return east the party is to be entertained at Calgary.

The major share of Canadian honey production is now exported to British markets, according to a statement made at the annual convention of the Ontario Honey Producers' Association. The demand for Canadian honey in the English markets is so great that shippers had no trouble finding an outlet for their 1923 supplies after taking care of the local markets.

According to figures compiled by a prominent American insurance company, Alberta has a very low death rate from tuberculosis in comparison with other countries. Alberta's rate is given as 58.1 per 100,000, Canada's rate being 111.5 per 100,000 white policyholders, and the U.S. rate being 90.5 per 100,000 white policyholders.

That negotiations are in progress with a view to having a contingent of Canadian cowboys go over to the Wembley exhibition in August, was the statement of E. L. Richardson, manager of the Calgary Stampede. These riders, if the arrangements are completed, will be selected from the champions determined at the Calgary stampede, July 7 to 14.

Cattle shipments from the Calgary district in the first quarter of the present year showed a big increase over those of the corresponding period of last year, the figures being 8,422 for 1924, as against 524 in 1923, the values being \$412,644 and \$20,800 respectively. California has been the principal destination, there being a shortage of cattle there owing to drought.

The report of the Board of Grain Commissioners for the month of April, records the commencement of the heaviest spring shipping season on record. The report says that there are indications that all of the surplus of the western crops will be moved as fast as transportation facilities will permit, as export purchases are reported heavier than usual and all ocean tonnage out of Montreal has been engaged for May and June. A large proportion of lake shipping is routed via United States vessels, chiefly in United States vessels. Lake freights are lower this season.

The value of Canadian products shipped out through the Port of Montreal during the fiscal year ending March was nearly double that through the next highest Canadian port, according to a report published by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The shipments through Montreal were valued at \$189,116,000; those through Vancouver \$98,598,000. The former figures were for only eight months, while the latter were for the full twelve. Vancouver, however, made the largest gain during the year, having increased from \$61,778,000 in 1922-23 to \$97,598,000, or nearly 60 per cent, while Montreal's gain was from \$172,898,000 to \$189,116,000.

## ITEMS OF INTEREST

Bride (consulting cook-book—"Oh, my, that cake is burning and I can't take it out for five minutes yet!")

Brant Sports Day and Stampede will take place on Wednesday, June 11. Liberal prizes offered and a gala day of sports is anticipated.

It will not be long before the milling centre of the world will be in Alberta, with the western route in full operation the wheat will be ground in this province and then shipped abroad.

What are you doing to clean up and beautify the town? If you see loose paper or cardboard or old tins, etc., pick it up and place somewhere where it will not disfigure the landscape.

During his junior days Sir John Lockwood, questioning a witness said: "Mr. Jones, do I understand you to say you are an undertaker?" "Yes," replied the witness, "and just as good a business as yours." "Oh, yes," was the retort, "far better. So much more certain."

There is no dockage on horned butcher steers sold on the livestock exchange at Calgary, but there is no doubt that such steers bring from 25 to 50 cents per cwt. less than unhorned steers on account of the manner in which they bruise each other on the long trip from Alberta to eastern markets or to the shipping ports.

"Pa," said Little Willie, "what is the difference between a magnet and a magnate?" "A magnet, Willie, is a metallic substance, generally iron, which will attract certain metals, but not gold or silver. A magnate is a metallic substance, invariably of brass which will attract gold and silver only."

W. H. Mearns, secretary of the British Columbia agricultural association, announces that arrangements have been made to bring 300 horses to British Columbia from Omaha and other points in the middle west to run in the race meets on the various tracks in the province during the summer.

The farmer who uses good methods and sticks to the farm will win. Farming is not the only industry that suffers periods of adversity. Prosperity and hard times come in recurrent cycles. The turn of the wheel that has started in Alberta is a prosperity turn.

Be a good neighbor and in this way improve neighborhood conditions. By joint action town and countryside, as it refers to your geographical position may be much bettered. One ill-kept plot—be it farm yard or village plot—can give a black eye to the village surroundings. A little cleaning up on the programme every day will soon put a shine on. Tastiness doesn't cost much, but it is a good counter. Try it this summer.

That Canada now has considerable sums invested in foreign securities, is the statement of the Banker's Trust of New York, which has made a careful survey of foreign investments held by Canadians. In accordance with the accepted British policy of financing buyers of domestic products, at the close of 1923 Canadian banks were loaning to residents of foreign countries in the neighborhood of \$350,000,000. Direct foreign investments, other than bank loans, aggregated in 1921 over forty million dollars.

Heavy movement of both wheat and oats from interior points during the week into the States has encouraged big dealers of the Grain Exchange in the belief that the surplus will be cleaned up before mid-summer. Heavy exports, both east and west, have contributed to the easier feeling and reacted sharply on prairie business generally. Clothing, leather goods, farm implements and lumber have been active during the week in rural districts, due to the easier feeling in financial circles. The Eastern United States have placed heavy orders for Canadian oats and one shipment of four million bushels is recorded for the New England States.

A little bit of patience makes the sunshine come,  
A little bit of love makes a very happy home,  
A little bit of hope makes a rainy day look gay,  
And a little bit of charity makes glad a weary way.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. J. S. Smith and family wish to thank all friends for their kindly offered assistance and expressions of sympathy to them in their recent bereavement.

## NOTICE OF SALE

Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities)  
Notice is hereby given under Section 48 of the Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities) that one spotted cow with calf at side, branded on right shoulder, was impounded in the pound kept by L. A. Douglass located on the North 4 of Sec. 1, Twp. 18, Rge. 23, W4th, on the 13th day of May, 1924, and that the said animal was sold on the 28th day of May, 1924, to Mrs. A. C. Journey, of Vulcan, Alberta.

And the said animal may be redeemed by the owner or on his behalf within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the municipality and the purchaser of said animal.  
For information apply to the undersigned.  
J. K. McLEAN,  
Secretary-Treasurer Municipal District of Marquis, Vulcan, Alberta.



## ESTRAY

HORSES—Sorrel Mare, white star in forehead, no brand. Grey Gelding branded on left shoulder. Call or write W. H. Journey, Vulcan. June 4/24

## FOUND

GLOVES—Pair Lady's Kid Gloves, in Vulcan. Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Call at The Advocate office. June 2/24

## FOR SALE

CARS—Ford one-ton truck, in good shape; light six McLaughlin, with new tires, new storage battery, and in good repair. These cars will be sold at reasonable price. Apply to D. O. Robinson, Phone 144, Vulcan. June 4/24

PUPS—Collie Pups, both parents A1 cattle dogs. Male pups \$4.00 each, females \$1.00. Apply to J. J. Shaw, Box 506, Vulcan. June 4/24

BOARS—Registered Yorkshire Boars of improved Bacon Type—fit for service. Sows all sold. Good Harley 45 cents bushel, fanned 50 cents per bushel. A. E. Starling, Arrowwood, P. O., Alta., (Buffalo Hills). Phone 3907 Vulcan. May 21/24

IMPLEMENTS—John Deere Gang Plow 14 inch; International Cultivator, 7 1/2 foot; Florence 2-Burner Oil Stove with Oven. Every article in good condition. C. C. R.bbe, Phone 3613, Vulcan. May 21/24

POTATOES—Quantity good Potatoes, suitable for seed or table use, Gold Coin variety. H. A. Baden, Phone 2714, Vulcan. May 14/24

MILCH COWS—14 Head exceptionally fine Milch Cows, giving from 5000 to 10000 lbs. of milk per year. Guy Walker, Phone 1311 or Roy Walker, Phone 81, Vulcan. Apr 2/24

SEED OATS—Germination test, 97 per cent. Price 35c per bushel at the bin. Also a few good work horses for sale. I. Jacobson, Phone 507, Vulcan. Apr 1/24

BULLS—HORSES—2 Registered Bulls, run from 12 months to 18 months old. Broken Clydesdale Horses, single or in carload lots. Geo. Todd, Phone R1006, Vulcan. Mar 5/24

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8 to 10 1-2, Sale.....\$1.25	
11 to 2, Sale.....\$1.45	
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High Heel, 3, 3 1-2 and 4 only.	Tan, High Toe, Goodyear Welt.
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<b>Girls' Pat Sandals</b>	<b>White Rubbers</b>
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<b>Ladies' Tan Strap Slippers</b>	Sale.....5c pair
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